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Eugene R. Wedoff
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
Education: Chicago 1972 BA, 1975 JD
Began Service: September 16, 1987
Term Expires: 2015

Judicial: Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois (2002-2007)

Legal Practice: Jenner & Block (1975-1987)

Nonprofit: Executive Committee Member-at-Large, Board of Directors, American Bankruptcy Institute

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; National Bankruptcy Conference; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Jack B. Schmetterer
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1931
Education: Yale 1952 BA, 1955 LLB, 1955 JD
Began Service: May 9, 1985
Term Expires: November 5, 2013

Academic: Instructor, Yale University (1954-1955); Instructor, University of Georgia (1957-1958); Visiting Professor, University of Illinois, Chicago Circle Campus (1974-1978)

Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney, Illinois - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1963-1970); Assistant U.S. Attorney, Illinois - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1966-1968); First Assistant U.S. Attorney, Illinois - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1968-1970); First Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State's Attorney, County of Cook, Illinois (1971-1973); Trustee, Board of Trustees, Village of Northbrook, Illinois (1984-1985)

Legal Practice: Partner, Schmetterer & Schmetterer (1958-1963); Partner, Freeman, Schmetterer, Freeman & Salzman (1970-1971); Partner, Gottlieb & Schwartz (1973-1985)

Military Service: United States Army (1956-1958)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Decalogue Society of Lawyers; Federal Bar Association; The John Howard Association; Board of Directors, Just the Beginning Foundation; Lawyers Club of Chicago

Staff

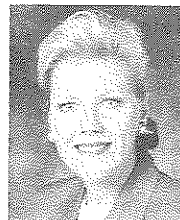
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Susan Pierson Sonderby
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Illinois 1969 BA;
John Marshall 1973 JD
Began Service: October 1, 1986
Term Expires: September 30, 2014

Academic: Adjunct Faculty, DePaul University (1986)

Government: Special Assistant Attorney General, State of Illinois (1972-1977); Assistant Attorney General, Litigation Section, Consumer Protection Division, State of Illinois (1977-1978); Assistant Attorney General and Chief, Consumer Protection Division, Office of the Attorney General, State of Illinois (1978-1983); Assistant Attorney General, State of Illinois (1983); United States Trustee, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1983-1986)

Judicial: Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1998-2002)

Legal Practice: Partner, O'Brien, Garrison, Berard, Kusta & De Witt (1973-1977)

Current Memberships: American Association for Justice; American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy; Chicago Chapter, Federal Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

Staff

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John H. Squires
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Illinois 1968 BA, 1971 JD
Began Service: January 1988
Term Expires: December 31, 2016

Academic: Adjunct Professor, John Marshall Law School (1994)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Brown, Hay & Stephens (1971-1988)

Military Service: United States Air Force (1969)

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Pamela S. Hollis
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: June 14, 1954
Education: Illinois 1976 BS; Loyola Marymount 1979 JD
Began Service: January 27, 2003
Term Expires: January 2017

Corporate: Principal, Digital Lawyer Ltd.

Judicial: Member, American Bar Association

Legal Practice: Partner, Hollis and Johnson; Partner, Hinshaw & Culbertson LLP; Law Office of Pamela Hollis

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; The Florida Bar; The National Association of Bankruptcy Trustees

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A. Benjamin Goldgar
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: January 1957
Education: Brown U 1979 AB; Northwestern 1982 JD
Began Service: February 3, 2003
Term Expires: February 2, 2017

Government: Assistant Attorney General, Civil Appeals Division, Office of the Attorney General, State of Illinois (1995-2003); Supervising Attorney, Civil Appeals Division, Office of the Attorney General, State of Illinois (1997-2003)

Legal Practice: Keck, Mahin & Cate (1982-1995)

Nonprofit: President, Illinois Appellate Lawyers Association (2001-2002)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; American Bar Association; Appellate Lawyers Association; The Chicago Bar Association; The Seventh Circuit Bar Association, Federal Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Manuel Barbosa
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: John Marshall JD
Began Service: March 23, 1998
Term Expires: March 22, 2012

Government: Assistant Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, County of Kane, Illinois (1977-1978); Chairman, Human Rights Commission, State of Illinois (1980-1998)

Legal Practice: Miller, Feda, Barbosa (1978-1988)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Bruce W. Black
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Bradley 1966 BA; Illinois 1971 JD
Began Service: August 13, 2001
Term Expires: August 12, 2015

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Robert D. Morgan, United States District Court for the Central District of Illinois (1971-1972)

Government: Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, State of Illinois (1975-1976); State's Attorney, State of Illinois (1976-1985)

Judicial: Circuit Judge, Tenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois (1985-2001)

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